Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 15 Sep 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 16 Sep 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 15 Sep 2021 at 02:43 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally low for details most of the period.

Headline for Wednesday 15 Sep 2021: A mainly dry day, variable cloud, some bright spells and the odd sharp shower. Light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 15 Sep 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	20%	20%	20%	20%

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Weather: Areas of low cloud and these will tend to lift off the hills during the day. Some sunny intervals, but always quite a lot of cloud and while mainly dry, there will be a few showers this afternoon possibly more widespread in the north this evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% at first rising to 80%.

Visibility: Away from cloud, mostly good. Occasional cloud on hills around 600-800m at first this mostly lifting above the tops this afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	4/6 SW	3/5 SW	4/7 SW	9/13 SW	11/14 SW	10/13 SW	11/14 W
900	5/6 SW	3/5 W	5/8 W	9/13 W	10/13 SW	10/12 SW	9/13 SW
600	3/4 SW	3/4 NW	4/7 W	8/11 W	5/9 W	6/10 SW	7/11 SW
300	2/6 S	2/6 SW	4/7 SW	4/10 W	2/6 W	3/9 SW	3/9 SW
Glen	2/5 SW	3/5 S	4/7 S	3/8 W	2/7 W	1/7 SW	2/9 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	6/4	7/6	8/7	8/6	7/4	7/4	6/2
900	9/8	10/9	11/10	11/9	10/8	9/7	9/6
600	11/11	11/11	13/13	14/13	12/12	11/10	11/9
300	11/11	13/13	16/16	16/16	14/14	13/13	12/12
Glen	11/11	14/14	18/17	17/17	15/15	13/13	12/12
Freezing Level*	2500m	2400m	2400m	2500m	2500m	2400m	2300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing extra.

Forecast for Thursday 16 Sep 2021
Weather: Patchy low cloud lifting then a dry day with some sunny spells.

Maximum wind: West 10-15mph becoming southerly and increasing 20 gusts 30mph in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60% early morning but 90% for the rest of the day

Visibility: Generally very good, but patchy cloud on the hills above 600m at first bringing patchy hill fog.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 6 Celsius rising to 19 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above summits.

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